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GERMAN FORCES OPEN ATTACK ON VERDUN FRONT

French War Office Announces That German Troops Have Gained Footing in a Number of French Positions

OFFICIAL FIGURES ON WEDNESDAY

(By Associated Press)
Boston, Oct. 28.—The committee in charge of the New England district Second Liberty loan, announced today that the official figures would not be announced before Wednesday. Today the total subscription showed that the total subscriptions were now \$435,580,000.

The committee stated that they maintain hopes that the New England district will have filled the quota of \$500,000,000 when the final tabulations are made.

The total by states announced today was: Maine \$22,117,000; New Hampshire \$14,527,000; Vermont \$9,704,000; Connecticut \$57,915,000; Rhode Island \$10,533,000; Massachusetts \$286,731,000.

COMMENDED BY THE FRENCH FOR BRAVERY

(By Associated Press)
Paris, Oct. 28.—Sergeant Paul Pavelka, a resident of Madison, Conn., now stationed with the French aviation forces in Serbia, has been cited in French army orders for bravery in his aerial maneuvers. The orders state that several times Pavelka has returned to the French hangars with his machine riddled with bullet holes.

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Oct. 28.—The German forces opened a violent attack on the Verdun front early today in the sector near Chaume Woods. The war office announces that the German troops have gained a footing in a number of French positions. The ground was gained in counter attacks according to the statement.

FIREMEN FOUND DEAD ON MONTANA

John C. Rondeau Falls From Deck and Dies From Fractured Skull.

John C. Rondeau, a first class fireman attached to the U. S. S. Montana, was found dead Sunday morning on that ship. He had fallen below from one of the decks and death was the result of a fractured skull. A board of officers has been appointed to investigate the circumstances leading up to his death.

URGED KING CONSTANTINE TO MAKE ATTACK

Athens, Oct. 28.—Messages en route to the royal palace recently reveal the fact that Emperor William had urged King Constantine to have his forces make attacks on the Balkan front.

WILL OFFER IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE

French and British Governments Preparing to Give Commander-in-Chief of Italian Forces Prompt Support in Present War Crisis

(By Associated Press)

London, Oct. 28.—An article published conspicuously in the Times, this morning, relative to the Italian war crisis, says:

"There is reason to believe that the critical situation on the Italian battlefield will receive prompt consideration by the French and British governments."

"It is understood that the Commander-in-Chief of the Italian forces may rely on the French and British governments for prompt support by the Allies."

In military circles there is considerable belief that both the French and British governments are preparing to offer immediate assistance to the Italians.

GOVERNMENT MAKES LOAN TO ENGLAND

Bringing the Total Amount Up to \$1,400,000,000

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Oct. 28.—The government today announced that an additional loan had been made to Great Britain of \$25,000,000, bringing the total loan to that country to \$1,400,000,000.

OLD TIME SELECTIONS

The crowd on Market Square on Saturday evening greatly enjoyed the old time selections including "Silver Threads Among the Gold," rendered on the cornet by Guido Labertini, soloist of the U. S. Naval Band.

Try a Want Ad. They bring results.

WILL SEEK HELP FOR NAVY YARD IN MANCHESTER

Hundreds of Men, Skilled and Unskilled, Needed by the Government.

An urgent call has been sent out from the officials at the Portsmouth navy yard for several hundred skilled and unskilled men for permanent employment.

There are at the present time twelve submarines under construction as well as large quantities of manufacturing work of other kinds and also a large amount of repair work on ships.

Fine openings have presented themselves for mechanics and also for men who are willing to learn. Both are assured of permanent employment with wages equal to or above those paid by private concerns.

The length of the day at the yard is eight hours but in the present emergency, a great deal of overtime is required for which extra pay is allowed. Men in the employ of the government are also given a 30 days' vacation at the end of the year with full pay.

While many of the trades are full there is immediate need of men in the following: Shipbuilders, drillers, choppers and cutters, machine riveters, angle foremen, boiler makers, machinists, particularly those with experience on heavy tools, sheet metal workers, copper smiths, armature winders, motters, boatbuilders, etc. Men skilled in these trades are urgently needed and can receive immediate employment. Considerable numbers of unskilled men are also required for general work about the yard, such as laborers and general helpers and good men willing to work will find ample opportunity for advancement. There is also required a considerable number of machinist's helpers.

The work which is required at the Portsmouth navy yard and in fact every yard of a similar character in the country is one of the most important factors in winning the war. This work is steadily increasing and from present indications the Portsmouth yard will be permanently used for the building of submarines and probably other vessels of larger type.

Naval Constructor L. S. Adams, industrial manager of the yard, together with other officials and members of the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce will visit Manchester Tuesday and will make their headquarters at Hotel Orrington where they will receive applications and give all further information from 11 o'clock in the morning until 3:30 in the afternoon.

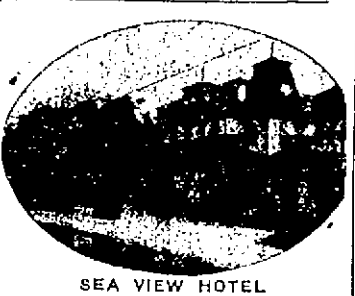
Read the Want Ads.

OLD LANDMARK WILL BE MISSED AT RYE BEACH

Sea View House Will Pass Out of Existence Before Spring.

Standing in the line of immediate residential development, the well known Sea View House at Rye Beach, N. H., will be razed before next spring, when the land is to be cut up into house lots.

This hotel was built in 1869 by Geo. G. Lougee at a cost of between \$75,000 and \$100,000 which at that time



SEA VIEW HOTEL

was a large sum for a hotel, and it was operated by him for a number of years and then by his two sons, George Lougee, who is manager of Hotel Empire on Commonwealth Avenue, Boston, and Gliman M. Lougee. The Sea View is five stories high and situated on high land in the center of the Rye Beach summer colony.

The property has been sold to Francis E. Drake and Shirley S. Philbrick, owners of valuable cottage property nearby, and the hotel building will be torn down.

ITALIAN FORCES ARE CHECKING GERMAN ADVANCE

(By Associated Press)

Rome, Oct. 28.—The Italian forces are checking the Austro-German advance along the northern plains of Italy, according to an official statement issued today.

The situation is fast coming under control of the Commander-in-Chief and all movements ordered are now being carried out.

FOR SALE—Second hand gas cook stove, four burner. Apply to Mrs. W. W. McIntire, 356 Lincoln Avenue. Tel. 6783J, hq 14 029.

TAKEN FROM HIS HOME BY MASKED MEN

Socialist Leader is Taken to a Wooded Section and Lashed With a Snake Whip

ATTACKED BY SUBMARINE OFF ENGLISH COAST

American Schooner Fannie Prescott Is Abandoned by Her Crew.

London, Oct. 28.—The American sailing vessel Fannie Prescott, 401 tons gross, was attacked by a submarine off the English coast on a recent day. After the crew had abandoned the vessel it was taken in tow by the submarine. The members of the crew were rescued.

(By Associated Press)

Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 28.—Herbert S. Bigelow, a Socialist, was kidnapped last night just as he was about to leave his residence to address a Socialist meeting. He was taken by men dressed in long white robes to a wooded section in the country and lashed with a snake whip.

Bigelow is the head of the People's church in this city and is an active member of the People's Council.

Early today Bigelow was found wandering in the woods near Florence, Ky., in an exhausted condition as the result of the abuse at the hands of the mob and also from the cold as he had been stripped of his clothing. After the men had lashed Bigelow they allowed him to go. After wandering in the woods all last night he was located by a posse.

Read the Want Ads.

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SECTIONAL BOOK-CASES

The kind that Grows with Your Books.

STANDARD
OLD ENGLISH
COLONIAL
CHIPPENDALE
SHELDON

These book-cases are suitable for the best of homes, and in design, quality and style, they have no equal. Sold on easy payments.

We take your Liberty Bond in payment, the same as cash on any purchase.

D. H. McINTOSH
Cor. Fleet and Congress Sts.

COATS, SUITS DRESSES

Constant arrival of New Models makes a visit to our ready-to-wear department desirable.

Styles were never prettier or of more practical utility than at the present time.

L. E. STAPLES
MARKET STREET

COATS THIS SEASON MUST BE PROPERLY DESIGNED TO LOOK WELL

That is our answer to a customer who expresses pleasure at the fact that every coat she tries on seems to fit so perfectly. The loose or very slightly fitted lines this year call for skilled designing and when you try on so many coats that "just hang" and simply refuse to fall into graceful lines, remember that the designing skill is absent. Ours is a popular store for coat buyers because we offer not merely coats, but coats skilfully designed and of certified style correctness. The new collection comprises velour, broadcloth and silvertone in beetroot, taupe, wine, browns and green, plain and fur trimmed. Priced at \$15.00 to \$58.00.

Geo. B. French Co.



BAD FOOD CAUSES SICKNESS AMONG THE POOR

(By Associated Press)

Athens, Oct. 27.—Bad food and the lack of all food among the poor because of European war conditions, are set down as one of the main causes of great mortality and sickness in the official health report of Athens, which says:

"During the month of July there has been a very great increase in sickness, due certainly to the bad food of the population to the deplorable quality of the foodstuffs, and to the complete want of some of the articles of alimentation." The death list is given at 619 or about 17 a day.

Based on this report the Messenger of Athens, makes a plea to the Entente powers for "more bread before more cannon." "Let us have bread," it says "from charity, from military or political reasons, or from solidarity. Let us have bread! Read the municipal statistics." It declares that what England and France know as privation would be luxury for the majority of the Greeks, who before the war could hardly feed themselves, and since the blockade of Greek ports have been under a veritable famine. Rice, dry beans and peas, the chief foods of the poor have disappeared or reached fabulous prices making them impossible for the poor. It asserts, while meat, fish, eggs, poultry, butter and milk were never possible for the poor except on holidays and are now entirely beyond their reach.

WOULD DEVOTE GARDENS FOR THE CHILDREN

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Oct. 28.—A group of artists organized under the name of "Friends of Paris" has petitioned the Under-Secretary of Fine Arts to devote the gardens of the Paris Royal to children's entertainment. They suggest that merry-go-rounds be installed and that Punch and Judy shows and moving pictures suitable for children to be given there, and that the business establishments surrounding the historic square be devoted to the sale of toys and articles made by mutilated soldiers.

The Palais Royal arcades have lost a great deal of the animation of the days when they were the center of the fashion and the frolic of Paris. The dealers in jewels and other luxuries have nearly all now gone to the Rue de la Paix and the avenue d'Opera.

BASEBALL IN DUBLIN FOR RED CROSS BENEFIT

(By Associated Press)

Dublin, Oct. 28.—The president of the American Baseball Association in London offered to arrange to bring to Dublin two teams of American and Canadian soldiers from camps in England to give an exhibition game of baseball in Dublin in aid of the Castle Red Cross hospital. The executive committee of which Lord Deedes is chairman gratefully accepted the offer and the match was arranged for October 23. Baseball is quite unknown in Dublin and the event was expected to draw a large crowd.

KITTERY

Kittery, Oct. 28.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Hanson was held from her late home on Rogers road on Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. Carl L. Nichols officiating. The body was taken to Portsmouth for interment under the direction of O. W. Ham.

Mrs. James Gerry of Commercial street has returned from a five week visit to her daughter, Mrs. George Wakefield of East Bethel, Vt.

Ensign Philip Webber, U. S. N., passed the week-end in town with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morse of Rogers road were visitors in York on Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies' Union of the First Methodist church of North Kittery will have an old fashioned Halloween party on Tuesday evening at the vestry. All kinds of Halloween pastimes will be participated in, and a supper served. There will be something doing every minute from the time the "ghosts" meet the guests until "Good nights" are said.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Remick returned Saturday to their home in Lynn, Mass., after passing a week with their sisters at Remick's Corner.

The weekly sewing meeting of the Red Cross will be held Wednesday afternoon at Odd Fellows' hall.

A Halloween party will be held Wednesday evening at the vestry of the Government Street church.

Riverside Lodge of Odd Fellows will meet tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blaisdell of York were visitors in town on Saturday.

Everett White of Wells has been

passing a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. White of Williams avenue.

Clarence L. Moody was a visitor in Dover on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Emily Kimball of Kittery Depot is improving from an illness.

Miss Nettie Hanson of Dover visited relatives in town on Sunday.

Miss Pauline Gould of Portland passed the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Leroy Kirtledge of Dame street.

Mrs. Albert Webber and daughter, Mrs. Chester Caswell, were called to Manchester on Sunday by the illness of the former's son, Leon Webber.

Miss Mary Hanson of North Hampton was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Hannah Jenkins has returned to her home in Kingston, N. H., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. George Willson of Wentworth street.

Orman Paul of Camp Devens, Ayer, and Mrs. Paul of Portsmouth, visited the former's father, O. S. Paul, of Dame street, on Sunday.

Misses Elizabeth and May Miller of Haverhill, Mass., passed the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moody and family of Otis avenue.

Judge James Locke and daughter, Miss Annie Locke, left on Saturday for their home in Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cox left Saturday for their home in LaPorte, Ind., after passing three weeks with relatives in town.

Miss May Dyer of Commercial street has returned from a visit to her brother in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Waldron of Otis avenue passed Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Everett Fernald of Kittery Point.

Wallace Putnam of Ayer, Mass., passed Sunday with friends in town.

George Dixon of Pleasant street has resumed his duties on the navy yard after an illness.

Mrs. Mary C. Reed of South Dancville, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Willson of Wentworth street.

Mark W. Keene of Philbrick avenue is having a vacation from his duties at the navy yard.

Mrs. Mae Foster and brother, Frank Woodsum of Haverhill, Mass., were in town on Sunday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Hanson.

A pleasant family reunion was held on Tuesday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Thomas of North Kittery, when several brothers and sisters met together for the first time in years.

A bountiful harvest dinner was served at noon. Among those present were Rev. and Mrs. John Mudge of Kittery Point, Oren Picot of West Medford and John Picot of North Kittery. It was an occasion long to be remembered by those participating.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davis of Wentworth street have returned from a visit to their former home in Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Robinson of Newburyport, Mass., passed the week-end with Mrs. T. J. Pettigrew of North Kittery.

Mrs. Ina Averill returned today to her home in East Bethel after passing a week with Mrs. Edridge Remick. Mrs. Averill sang two solos at the morning service at the First Methodist church on Sunday.

Rev. Bertram Wentworth resumed his studies at Boston today after passing the week-end with his parish at North Kittery.

MONEY TO LEND on real estate, 5 per cent. Inquiries confidential. Address Lock Box 5. a24, 1f

PORTRAIT OF THE KAISER IS REMOVED

(By Associated Press)

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Oct. 28.—A portrait of Emperor William of Germany, which has been hanging for a good many months in the government palace, has been removed by order of the minister for foreign affairs. Its place has been taken by a painting showing the Portuguese recognition of Brazilian independence. The Emperor's picture was put in a store room.

HEAVY FROSTS HAVE DESTROYED CORN CROP

(By Associated Press)

Mexico City, Oct. 28.—Recent heavy frosts have destroyed three-quarters of the corn crop on the central plateau of Mexico, according to estimates by the National Chamber of Commerce. It is stated that the corn this year will be about 25 per cent of normal throughout the country. The city council of Mexico is planning steps to prevent undue profits on any articles of prime necessity.

COOPERATING WITH THE FRENCH AUTHORITIES

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Oct. 28.—Major Young, detailed by the United States army for that work is co-operating with the French military authorities and the Red Cross is looking after the needy civilian population in the zone occupied by the American forces.

EVERYONE LIKES THIS COLD CURE

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends a cold or gripe in a few hours.

Your cold will break and all gripe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, Oct. 28.—The wedding of Miss Mary Deery of New York and Reginald Colby took place at the Parish house of the Catholic church, Kittery, on Tuesday, Oct. 23. Rev. Fr. Rice performing the ceremony.

The bride wore a white satin dress with georgette crepe trimmings. The white tulle veil was caught with a spray of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeBell. Mr. and Mrs. Colby left on their wedding trip for a few days to various places in Maine. The traveling gown of the bride was brown.

The bride is well known here having been in the employ of Mrs. John M. Howells for several years. Mr. Colby is a native of this place. Their many acquaintances extend to them the best wishes for their future happiness.

Upon their return they will reside at Mr. Colby's home on the Norton road.

Miss Florence Patch delightfully entertained the Bluebirds and a few other of her young friends on Saturday afternoon, the occasion being the anniversary of her thirteenth birthday. Games of many kinds helped the young folks to have a pleasant time. Later on in the afternoon they were invited to the dining room. The table was very attractively decorated in Halloween colors. A little yellow basket filled with candy made dainty favors. The Place cards were unique and bore each child's name.

A handsome birthday cake adorned the center of the table with 13 lighted candles. Ice cream, assorted cake, cookies and candies were served. Miss Florence received many useful gifts from her young friends.

Mrs. Waldo Hanson of Kittery, visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank Erling on Sunday.

Dr. Martha I. Roger of Portsmouth was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Miss Alice Grace of Portsmouth visited her sister, Mrs. Clarence Drew on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Russell Goodwin and two little daughters spent Sunday with relatives in York.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Blake of Brookline, Mass., passed the week-end at their cottage in the pines on Crockett's Neck road.

Miss Ella Parker and Miss Emma Weeks were visiting in Dover on Saturday, calling on friends.

A Halloween social will be held at the home of Miss Bertha Emery, Tenney's Hill, on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Evelyn Tobey is spending a few days with friends in Newcastle, N. H.

Mrs. Ellen Billings left on Saturday for Portland where she will pass the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Pote.

Mrs. Herbert Baker returned to her home on Saturday evening after visiting her daughter in Bridgeport, Conn., for the past three weeks.

Miss Dorothy Tobey accompanied by friends from Portsmouth, visited friends at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., on Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Free Baptist church will give the annual harvest supper in the vestry on Thursday evening.

A meeting of the Red Cross will be held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Oscar Clark.

Charles Lewis spent the week-end with Harry Phillips of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Colby have returned from their wedding trip and taken up residence on the Norton road.

EXETER

Exeter, Oct. 28.—Exeter went above its quota in the Liberty bond loan, there being approximately \$350,000 subscribed Saturday night, and the late rush at the banks put it several thousands above that mark. The quota was \$323,000, that mark being passed late Friday night. Several societies and lodges took bonds, and the individuals invested some large sums, while many local people took bonds from Boston firms, thus making the sum much above the mark. All three of the banks, the Union Five Cent Savings bank, the Exeter Banking company and the Co-operative bank were pushed during the day Saturday and they remained open till late at night. The largest subscriptions from the neighboring towns were through the local banks was from South Hampton of about \$9,000.

The Phillips Exeter academy, students have at present subscribed the amount of \$1,125 for college Y. M. C. A. work, which is \$125 over the intended sum of \$1,000, although it will doubtless reach \$5,000. These figures are from 465 students, there being 145 who have not been heard from owing to the collectors not reporting them up to date. None have refused to give, the lowest is \$1 and the highest \$100. The cash payments on accounts for the purchase of Liberty bonds, which in turn are to be given Y. M. C. A. work, amounted Saturday night to \$1,550, and that sum has been invested in bonds.

Rev. Herbert W. Cawthorne preached his last sermon at the Baptist church Sunday, it not being in the form of a farewell sermon. This week he will leave with Mrs. Cawthorne for Providence, R. I., where he has accepted a position with the Brown, Sharpe company.

At the First Congregational church Rev. Josiah P. Dickerman of Malden, Mass., preached. The 400th anniversary of the reformation of Martin Luther was observed at the West End hall Sunday afternoon, it also being the 21st anniversary of the opening of the West End mission.

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Norman S. McKendrick of the Phillips Exeter academy faculty was the four-minute man to speak at the 10th Theatre Saturday evening, his subject being "What the Nation Has Already Done in the War."

A subscription dance was held by the Robinson Seminary seniors at the assembly hall Saturday evening.

James A. Weston Saturday closed a month's stay at the Squamscott house, returning to his duties at the Laurel-in-the-Pines hotel at Lakewood, N. J. Mr. Weston is a former Exeter resident.

DECREASE IN NUMBER OF BANKRUPTCIES

(By Associated Press)

London, Oct. 28.—There was a considerable decrease in the number of bankruptcies last year, receiving orders being only 1,157 against 2,739 in 1915. Liabilities of debtors totaled 2,741,855, a decrease of 1,000,000 and the loss of creditors 2,396,554, a decrease of 955,503.

The principal failures were among grocers, bakers and saloon keepers.

MUST GIVE EMPLOYEES AMPLE NOTICE

(By Associated Press)

Mexico City Oct. 28.—The department of the treasury has issued an order that merchants and manufacturers must give 30 days' notice of a close down of their factories or businesses. If they fail to do so they must pay their employees thirty days wages in lieu of the notice.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces the following named examinations to be held on the dates mentioned. The demands of the service are very urgent at this time therefore qualified persons are urged to apply to the Local Secretary, Ralph R. Hill, at the Postoffice for information and application blanks.

Special Field Agent in Entomology (male) \$1200-\$2000. Apply at once. Statistician (male) Nov. 20.

Steel Plate Transferrer (male) Nov. 13. Scientific Assistant, Nov. 7-8.

Apprentice Fish Culturist (male) Nov. 7-8. Assistant Observer (male) Nov. 7-8.

Electrician (male) Nov. 7-8. First Class Steam Engineer (male) Nov. 7-8.

Library Assistant (male and female) Nov. 7-8. Pressman (male) Nov. 7-8.

Press Feeder (male and female) Nov. 7-8. Veterinarian (male) Nov. 7.

Junior Engineer, Mining (male) Nov. 7-8. Deck Officer (male) Nov. 7-8.

Addressograph Mechanician (male) Nov. 27. Junior Drainage Engineer (male) \$1200 to \$1320 Nov. 27.

Other (male) Nov. 27. Marine Draftsman (male) Panama Canal Service, Nov. 27.

Mechanical Draftsman (male) Nov. 27. Clerk Qualified as Free-Hand Artist, Nov. 21.

Clock-Draftsman (male) Nov. 21-22. Apprentice Plate Cleaner, Transferer, and Engraver, Nov. 21.

Laboratory Aid in Plant Pathology, Nov. 21. Specialist in School Hygiene and Sanitation (male) Nov. 20.

Junior Engineer (male) Apply at once. Ship Draftsman (male) Lighthouse Service, Nov. 20.

Field and Laboratory Aid in Plant Pathology (male) Nov. 21. Computer, Coast and Geodetic Survey (male) Nov. 21-22.

Computer, Nautical Almanac office and Naval Observatory Nov. 21-22. Architectural Draftsman (male and female) Nov. 21-22.

Junior Architectural Draftsman (male and female) Nov. 21-22. Junior Engineer (civil) and Draftsman (male) Nov. 21-22.

Passenger Rate Clerk (male) Nov. 20. Express Rate Clerk (male) Nov. 20.

Operative (male and female) Nov. 15. Fireman (male) Nov. 13.

Schedule Clerk (male and female) Apply at once. Clerk, Departmental Service, Nov. 14.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Monday, October 29, 1917.

A Justifiable Practice.

Two leading New York newspapers have been disputing over the propriety or impropriety on the part of the press of attributing news in instances where it is inadvisable to name the source to "a high authority," or saying "it is officially stated," etc. One of the papers takes the ground that this is all wrong and charges those that practice it with following foreign methods. The other defends it and maintains that it is not an importation, but was common in this country long before the beginning of the war, since which, it must be admitted, there has been a tendency to adopt foreign methods to a greater or lesser extent.

Most newspapermen will agree that the practice is justified by experience and frequent necessity. There are many times when newspapers are in possession of information to which the public is entitled, and when there are valid reasons why the source should not be divulged at the time. If such information were to be withheld until the source could be given without the violation of confidence the public would be deprived for a time of that to which it has a perfect right, and there would be no corresponding benefit.

Every newspaper publisher and every reporter knows this to be true. It is much more satisfactory to give the source of information in every case where this can be done without detriment, and this is always done. But there are numberless instances in which it can not be done, and in these cases it is highly proper to withhold the source, at the same time giving assurance that the news is reliable by stating that it comes from reliable authority.

This applies both to political news and business news. In the great majority of cases there is no occasion for withholding the names of the men from whom information is obtained, and newspaper writers and publishers always prefer to give the names when this is permissible. But there are many instances in which good ends would be defeated either by publishing the names or withholding the facts, and consequently the practice which has so long been in vogue is entirely justifiable.

This, however, does not justify the publication of faked news under the pretense that it came from "reliable authority," which, regrettable to say, is without doubt sometimes done. But newspapers, like individuals, soon come to be known for what they are, and no paper of character and standing ever deludes its readers by taking refuge behind anonymity. The right kind of papers—and that is the great majority—present the facts so far as it is possible to ascertain them, and do this in a way to which no exception can be taken. And any newspaper that spends its time in wrangling over the question in point is wasting energy that might well be put to better use.

The greatest steam locomotive in the world has been turned out by the Baldwin Locomotive Works. It is 160 feet long and is jointed in three places to enable it to round curves. It has 24 drive wheels and can haul a freight train two miles long, so it is said. If such engines should become common the unions would have to appeal for a new train-crew law.

The Newport police did a good piece of work when they took into custody three automobile thieves who have been operating in Massachusetts and this state. There have been too many of these thieves abroad for the last year or two and the courts may be trusted to deal with those rounded up at Newport according to their deserts.

The state board of conciliation and arbitration is doing what it can to prevent the threatened strike on the Boston and Maine railroad, and it is to be hoped that its efforts will be successful. With conditions as they are in this country today there ought to be no such thing as a strike in any department of activity.

A headline says that women cooks are in evidence in the British army, and it is safe to say the army will not suffer in consequence. At a time when women are taking the places of men in so many callings it seems entirely proper that they should be worked in where there is cooking to be done.

And now burglars are after the Boston and Maine railroad, having broken into the station at Franklin Falls and relieved the safe of \$200. Surely the Boston and Maine is in a position to say that "Misfortunes never come singly."

Lo, the rich Indian! From Washington comes the surprising news that three million dollars' worth of Liberty bonds have been taken by the five civilized tribes.

The question of whether the American soldiers in France shall vote at the coming election is not the most important before the country just at present.

WHAT WAR HAS DONE IN SWEDEN

Letter to Portsmouth Woman Translated for Herald Readers.

The following letter received by a lady in this city from Sweden will show the effects of the war even in a neutral country and the sky high prices which the people are paying for food, etc.

"The American public thought and perhaps do think that the Swedish people are becoming rich since the beginning of the war, but it is all a mistake. It may be so in one respect, that is, it has lowered its national debt to a great extent, but at the same time impoverishing themselves. They are far, by all means, a poorer nation in food products and raw material than before the war started.

"Numerous factories have closed their doors indefinitely for lack of raw material, throwing thousands of men and women out of employment. For instance, the small supply of cocoa has been so small that the chocolate factories in the large cities have been forced to go out of business.

"The present prices will tell the tale of the conditions in Sweden at the present time. An ordinary ready made suit of clothes selling before the war for \$15, is now costing \$35; a tailor made suit cannot be had much less than \$55; a pair of gloves are worth \$3.00; tea is one of the real luxuries, costing \$10 per pound; onions can be obtained for 75c per pound; cheese is selling for \$1.50 per pound; butter is now \$1 per pound and very little of it.

"They are selling for cooking purposes what they call olive oil, but it is made from flax seed. The government has taken up all fats and are not exporting any. Even so, there are no candles and in the outlying districts the only light they receive is from a dry birch stick that smolders, not enough to read by.

"Speaking of fats, we might say that soap which they paid 5c or 10c for is now on the market for 90c per cake.

"Coal and sugar are practically an unknown quantity, even wood selling for \$20 per cord; a quart of kerosene, when you can get it, will cost you \$3. "It might seem strange in a country practically surrounded by water that fish is selling for 40c per pound, and as to underwear, a place where they sure do need it, the price of a working man's (one suit), is \$5; even a collar sets you back from 35c to 45c apiece.

"In the winter shoes are a hard thing to have. The standard cost to date is \$15 per pair. Wooden ones are going fast and are very popular. "By these quotations it can easily be seen that Sweden is suffering much more than the United States at present, in the high cost of living. May it not last long.

(Signed) C. C. W.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Safe Investment

(From the Lawrence Tribune)
Government bonds are the safest security for people's savings. The interest rates are fair, and profit need not be kept business active should be invested in them. Patriotism and sagacity combine in recommending the new issue of Liberty bonds.

"Academic Freedom"

(From the Salem News)
When free speech degenerates into covert criticism or open condemnation of the government in its conduct of the war, with the express purpose of alienating popular support, the offenders deserve to be silenced. The justification of this policy in dealing with agitators of the soup box type is as strong, it may be considered stronger, as in cases of those members of college faculties who yell treasonable utterances in the guise of "academic freedom."

Quick Conversion

(From the New Orleans States)
You may have observed, as we have done, how intensely loyal to the United States pro-German editors of seditious newspapers become the moment they are placed under arrest.

Hard Satisfying Critics

(From the Brockton Enterprise)
Some of the critics who howled at the idea of sending New England troops South to train during the fall and winter are now madly crying out against the cold at Camp Devens. It is indeed hard to satisfy some people about anything. They "just naturally" have got a kick coming on everything.

Strikes in War Time

(From the Gloucester Times)
The strike in connection with the creation of new buildings at the arsenal in Watertown, like the ship-building strike on the Pacific coast, is an indication that not all the work-lunatics of the country have yet come to realize that the United States is at war.

This strike at Watertown involved buildings which were to be used for the making of artillery which will be needed by the forces under command of Gen. Pershing before they can do the work which we are expecting them to accomplish. Hurry calls are coming for these guns, and the \$8-

000,000 of the new buildings in which they can be turned out quickly and in large numbers is a part of the answer to that call. To hold up such work is to please the enemy and to cripple our own young men whom we have sent to France or who are in training here.

The point at issue was the open shop. The men working for one of the contractors, under orders from union agents, left work because non-union men were being used.

Now we do not here discuss the merit or demerit of the open shop. Labor has fought hard for its rights and has thought it necessary to strike to attain the closed shop principle. Very likely in this it is right. But what is true and desirable in normal times may not be true at all in times of war. And what is true in connection with some work in war time may not be true at all of others. It would be possible, we suppose for a government to put men doing such work as that at Watertown under military rule and to compel the completion of what had been begun. But we hope that such measures will never be necessary.

In England, labor has found that owing to the tremendous need of production to keep the army and the nation at its best, some rules followed in ordinary times must be held in abeyance. They are not abjured, but put aside temporarily. We may find the same thing necessary here. Certainly the American people will not allow any group of men to hold up for long work which is absolutely necessary for the success of our arms. And for even a temporary cessation of work there will have to be the best of reasons. We are at war, and all private interests which conflict with the public good, go by the board.

AGED WOMAN DIES OF SHOCK AT TOWNSEND

(By Associated Press)

Townsend, Mass., Oct. 28.—Mrs. M. J. Sargent, an elderly woman, well known in this town, died today as the result of a shock when she attempted to save the life of her employer, David Gilmore, aged 84, a Civil war veteran, yesterday.

Gilmore had upset a lamp in the kitchen of his home and his clothes were in flames, and when Mrs. Sargent tried to save his life she was overcome with the shock and died shortly after.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Probably rain tonight and Tuesday; warmer tonight; fresh south winds becoming west.

Sun Rises.....5:13
Sun Sets.....4:12
Length of Day.....10:29
High Tide.....10:00 am, 10:32 pm
Moon Sets.....5:27 am
Light Automobile Lamps at.....5:12 pm

FOUND SAILORS WITH BIG GUM MACHINE

Stole Outfit From Store of B. M. Tilton.

Shortly after 3 o'clock on Sunday morning, Patrolman Doherty arrested some sailors who he found in possession of a large automatic gun, and candy machine. Later he investigated and found the machine had been stolen from the front of the store of B. M. Tilton. The men after their arrest claimed they found the machine on the street and that they did not remove it from the building. The police took the gun from their story and held them till the afternoon when a request was made by the commander of their ship to have them turned over to the navy. They agreed to pay for the damage and a navy patrol took them to the navy yard.

WANTS NEW HAMPSHIRE BOYS TO CATCH FISH

Boston, Oct. 28.—"We want 10,000 schoolboys in New England to catch fish," Joseph A. Rich, deputy fish food administrator, announced tonight. Mr. Rich, who is a member of the national food administration, has just returned from a tour of Cape Cod, where he enrolled almost every available school boy.

"Every fish caught means a pound or more of meat released for the international people and for the soldiers in France," he said. "There are 10,000 school boys in the coast cities and towns, and if they each caught only one fish a week it would mean 10,000 meals released for Uncle Sam's boys in France."

Mr. Rich will soon proceed to Maine and New Hampshire.

ADDRESSED MAINE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

Frederick W. Gentleman, formerly of this city, delivered an address before the Maine Teachers' association at Bangor on the subject, "Mathematics for Junior High Schools." A text book on this subject has recently been published by the MacMillan Co., written by Mr. Gentleman and by Mrs. Vossburgh of the Boston Normal school.

Captain Thomas Burke of the night police is on his annual vacation.

VIOLENCE AND DISORDER MARK RAILWAY STRIKE

(By Associated Press)

Buenos Aires, Oct. 27.—Violence and disorder marked the general railway strike which began last month and tied up all traffic in Argentina for weeks. The trouble commenced when the workmen of the French-owned Province of Santa Fe railroad, after presenting a list of demands to the management began systematically to destroy the company's property, signals, buildings and rolling stock, at the city of Santa Fe. In order to prevent further damage, the company surrendered unconditionally. The damage done by the strikers represented something like \$100 in gold.

Other labor troubles have been rife in the Province of Santa Fe on every railroad in the country, the spirit of unrest spread and troops were sent to several points to protect property and stop intimidation.

SAYS STORROW CAN SEIZE COAL

Washington, Oct. 28.—There is such a capacity of coal in certain New England states that the cessation of public utilities and industrial plants is threatened. The situation was fully presented so forcibly to Fuel Commissioner Garfield on Friday by the governors of five New England states that an order was issued today authorizing J. J. Storrow of Boston, New England Fuel Commissioner, to purchase coal at prices fixed by the President, to supply the immediate and pressing necessity.

Less than carload lots will be contracted by the commissioner where this is necessary. The commissioner will return the coal so seized or pay the dealers the fixed prices.

One plan that will be employed by the New England fuel commissioner will be to permit sales of coal on storage in New England at wholesale on the same basis as that prescribed for sales by retailers. If this plan is followed coal can be obtained more quickly than if it had to pass to the retailer first before it could be obtained by the consumer.

The situation in New England is pictured as one of the worst in the country. Some of the mills have not more than enough coal to run them 4 hours and appeals to the jobbers have failed to give them any relief. Therefore, the commissioner has been instructed by Washington to take over in certain cases coal owned by jobbers in order to meet the cases of real necessity. The prices of coal in these areas must not exceed cost plus the jobbers margin of 20 cents a ton prescribed in the president's order.

It is believed that there are in New England in the hands of certain dealers and consumers surplus coal from which the owners would be glad to supply the needs of less well stocked dealers if they can do so without loss to themselves. The order will clothe Mr. Storrow as New England's administrator, with power to authorize such sales and to relieve cases of shortage in important industrial plants and elsewhere.

James J. Storrow, fuel administrator for New England, called on the telephone at his home last night, said that the above order will be of great help to New England temporarily, but no lasting benefit will occur until several million tons of soft coal are shipped here.

Under the order Mr. Storrow will be enabled to use the present supply of coal in New England to the best advantage.

"At the present time," he said, "many small manufacturing plants are short of coal, while some others have no coal at all. The public service corporations, although short of coal, have sufficient to run their plants until about January. The authority given in the above order will allow the fuel administration boards to take care of New England until some time in January, when, unless several million tons of soft coal are shipped here, many of our mills, factories and even public service corporations may have to shut down.

"The hard coal situation is in much better shape, and although some con-

cerns are in need of more hard coal, there is no real trouble in getting coal enough to tide them over."

SECRETARY BAKER ISSUES STATEMENT

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Oct. 29.—The first official mention of the American troops in the first line trenches in France was made today by Secretary of War Baker when he issued a statement saying: "Certain units of American troops have taken their place in the fighting front in France."

Secretary Baker in his statement said: "Important developments are now pending in this great war." Dispatches did not state what was meant by this assertion.

In conclusion the statement reads: "The Italians are facing a most difficult moment. They once before were able to stem the tide when pressed hard; they may again."

MOTORISTS MUST MAKE LESS NOISE

(By Associated Press)

Paris, Oct. 29.—M. Haulle, the new Prefect of Police has decided that the motorists' contribution to the unnecessary noise of the capital shall be suppressed. The siren trumpet has been suppressed altogether. Other trumpets must be used only when necessary, under penalty of fine.

LIBERTY BONDS SELL AT PAR

(By Associated Press)

New York, Oct. 29.—The first business transactions involving Liberty bonds took place on the curb today when \$1500 worth of bonds were sold for par. A second transaction followed and \$8000 worth of bonds were sold for the same price.

NAVY NOTES

Short Furlough

Cornelius J. Murphy, a chief petty officer attached to the U. S. S. Hamblin is passing a short furlough at his home in this city.

Some Stock

The stock on hand at the general store or supply department of a coal yard is estimated to value over three million.

Doing Target Work

Over two hundred men from the several ships at the local yard occupied special cars on the S. A. Boston train this morning on their way to the Wakefield rifle range for practice work on the targets.

Keeping Them Busy

The clerical force assigned to the Liberty Loan are busy today getting the final figures subscribed by the men at the station.

In the Dry Dock

The ferry 1018 has been placed in dry dock for repairs and general overhauling.

Increasing Every Day

The Portsmouth navy yard payroll at present includes 2810 names. This number will be largely increased shortly by the call for hundreds of workmen in most every branch.

Held Memorial Service.

Nearly a thousand people made up from the officers and families of the navy yard officers of the ships, enlisted men, etc., assembled in building 35 at the Portsmouth navy yard when a memorial service was held for the sailors and soldiers who have died since this country engaged in war. The President's letter was read and a patriotic address and prayers were delivered by Chaplain E. W. Scott.

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TEN MONSTER LOCOMOTIVES GOING TO PIECES

(By Associated Press)

Athens, Oct. 29.—There are ten monster American locomotives standing in line on a side-track at the Piraeus, the port of Athens, gradually going to pieces for lack of use. They are evidence of the progressive modern methods which a recent government railway administration sought to put into practice, without, however, making due calculations in advance.

It was felt that the time had come to modernize Greek railways, and an extensive project was worked out to that end. One part of the plan was to have the latest type of large and powerful American locomotives. These were ordered, and ten of them were shipped across the Atlantic. They were greatly admired when they arrived, but when they were put on the tracks it was discovered that the light rails almost flattened out with the weight of the big engines, and the bridges along the main routes were not strong enough to permit the engines to pass. It meant new bridges and new roadbed everywhere, and as the finances were not equal to this strain the locomotives were laid up for a time. This was many months ago, and the locomotives still are waiting for the bridges to be strengthened.

REPLACED THE DISMANTLED VITAL PARTS

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, Oct. 29.—The commander of the German submarine U. C. 233 that recently escaped from a Spanish port states that he was requested by the Spanish government to dismantle certain vital parts of the ship's machinery and to hand it over to the officials.

He states that he did this but in a short time he had replaced the parts and was able to make his escape.

RESULT WILL BE MADE PUBLIC NOVEMBER 1

(By Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Oct. 29.—Further figures will not be mentioned giving totals of subscriptions in the Second Liberty Loan until November 1. This statement was made by the treasury officials today. They stated that until that time the federal reserve banks could only make approximate tabulations and it was not the intention of the department to make anything by accurate figures.

PREMIER LEAVES FOR THE FRONT

Petrograd, Oct. 29.—Premier Kogenko has gone to the front. The newspapers yesterday published a note to the effect that the war minister has begun the elaboration of a scheme for the reorganization of part of the army on the basis of separate nationalities. As a result of the continuance of disorders, martial law has been proclaimed in many cities and towns.

LEAPS FROM HOTEL WINDOW TO HIS DEATH

(By Associated Press)

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 29.—Henry Woodard, son of a wealthy Providence, R. I., family, committed suicide by jumping from a hotel window in this city today. He was en route to Florida with his mother when he committed the act.

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PORTSMOUTH SUBSCRIBED MAXIMUM QUOTA

**Wonderful Showing Made by City in
Liberty Bond Campaign.--Over \$1-
150,000 Has Been Taken.--Navy Yard
Took \$304,000.**

Portsmouth responded nobly to the call of the government in the Liberty bond, and although the opportunity to this city was considered very high the maximum was reached and it will run some over.

Although the official tabulation has not been made and won't be available for a day or two, the unofficial figures are \$1,150,000, or well above the maximum quota. The minimum of \$800,000 was reached early Friday and the local committee, with the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce, who have been very active in the campaign, kept on the drive for the million dollar mark, for it was considered that if the city took a million dollars it was doing its duty.

Saturday it was a great drive, and every bank in the city was driven to the limit, especially in the evening when the banks were opened for the limited subscriber until nine o'clock. At eight-thirty Secretary Baker of the Chamber of Commerce after a tour of the banks found that a quick tabulation showed \$1,021,000 and a stroke was sounded on the five alarm to show that the million dollar mark was reached.

During the afternoon there was a band concert on the parade and local speakers were busy telling the reason for it all. In the evening a corner and telephone player rode about the city playing patriotic airs. About the city there was a general air of expectation and when the stroke was sounded showing that the maximum quota had been reached, there was general satisfaction.

The Portsmouth navy yard had early in the afternoon sent over the cheering word that they had subscribed \$304,000 at the rate of \$108 per man, a truly wonderful showing. When the campaign started the committee in charge, and they are

of the optimistic kind, set the figure to be secured at \$200,000, a sum that would be sure to place them above any yard in the country on a pro rata basis. When this sum was reached the committee was elated but they did not stop there and as a result of their good work the handsome sum mentioned above was secured. The campaign was quite lively among the various shops as to who would secure the flag promised and the boat shop won.

Portsmouth raising its maximum quota is more to its credit than any city in the state, for there were no great subscriptions here and no rich corporation to subscribe large sums and credit them to the city as in other places. There were no very large individual subscriptions, Saturday night a prominent attorney took \$20,000 which boosted the total in fine shape, but this was one of the large sums subscribed.

In other cities corporations have taken anywhere from fifty thousand to a half million dollars. In Rochester the Spaulding Brothers boosted that city's quota by very large subscriptions. In Manchester the Amoskeag, the McIlwain Shoe Company and other big corporations subscribed in the six figures and it is so about practically every city in the state with the exception of this city. The result therefore is especially gratifying to those having charge of the great campaign and they are loud in their praise of the assistance rendered them by the citizens, newspapers, theatres etc.

President John K. Bates of the First National Bank said Sunday night that he was confident that the total subscription would exceed \$1,150,000, although it might be two days before the official tabulation was completed as the banks were given three days in which to make their returns. His bank alone had handled half a million dollars in bond sales.

"JOE THE TURK" IS VISITING PORTSMOUTH

Joseph Garabed, known to his many friends as "Joe the Turk," is visiting Portsmouth. And Portsmouth is glad to see him, glad to welcome this picturesque warrior of the Christian faith.

Mr. Garabed, a native of Turkey, is the son of an Armenian priest. He was born in a little town outside of Constantinople, Taffass by name, and there brought up and educated. Afterward he went to Constantinople.



He is an inspiration to watch "Joe" in his uniform of a Turkish general, at his waist the two-edged sword in its sheath. The strong face beneath the Turkish hat bespeaks energy and purpose, experience with and knowledge of men.

"Joe the Turk" is a wide traveler and in all his journeying seldom meets a person of any nationality with whom he cannot converse in tongue of that nation.

Tonight, Monday, "Joe the Turk" will give a musical program at the Salvation Army hall on State street at 8 o'clock.

HAD TO PUT THE WRECKER AT WORK Take Derrick Out of Freight Train to Clear Up a Wreck.

On Saturday the motive department of the Boston and Maine arranged to send the steam derrick of the Portsmouth wrecking train to the shops at Sanbornville for overhauling and repairs. The big machine had been put on a freight train and was just about ready to start when a wreck occurred in the yard and it was necessary to take the wrecker out of the train and put it to work on two freight cars that had backed off a switch on the main line tracks. The tracks were not cleared until 3 o'clock Sunday morning.

CHAMPLIN COMEDY CO. OPENS WEEK'S ENGAGEMENT

The Champlin Comedy Company which opens a week's engagement at the Colonial theatre tonight, come highly recommended by the newspapers in other cities where the company has played. The company has a fine repertoire of plays and will no doubt receive a good patronage. On Saturday evening the management will give away a \$50 Liberty bond, to which there will be no strings attached.

PEOPLE You Know

Carl Anderson passed Sunday at his home in Portland, Me.

Mrs. Everett McNabb has returned from a visit in Boston.

Mrs. James O'Donnell is visiting relatives in Haverhill, Mass.

Daniel Kelley passed Sunday at his home in Newburyport, Mass.

Thomas Donovan passed Sunday with friends in Haverhill, Mass.

E. Oscar Pinkham visited relative in Newburyport, Mass., on Sunday.

Representative Edward S. Downs passed Sunday in Boston on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Woodbury of Lynn, Mass., passed Sunday in this city.

R. W. Nickerson of Old Orchard, Me., is passing a few days in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanborn of Concord passed the week-end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wynian of Nottingham were visitors here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Foster of Dover passed the week-end with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Teague of Portland, Me., were visitors here over the week-end.

James Burlingame of Exeter and a party of friends motored to this city on Sunday.

Miss Blanche Robinson of Roslin, Mass., passed the week-end with friends in this city.

Miss Mary Holland who has been passing her vacation at Kearsarge, N. H., has returned home.

Charles P. Carroll went to Mattapan, Mass., on Monday to attend the funeral of Michael H. Gregg.

Andrew H. Latriquin and a party of friends motored to Dover and several adjoining towns on Sunday.

Fred G. Newton of Manchester was here on Monday, the guest of his brother Sherman T. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Earle Hurd left on Monday morning to pass a week's vacation in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Jenni Dixon of Dover who recently underwent an operation at the Portsmouth hospital is reported as much improved.

Mr. Joseph F. Lamb and family of Jettis street motored to Somersworth on Sunday where they were entertained by relatives.

Patrick J. Grady, who is a member of the national army at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., passed Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Mabel Cameron of Manchester by the Sea passed Sunday in this city as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Amee of Hill street.

Mr. Nelson Gale of St. George, N.H., is the guest of his nephew, Mr. E. N. McNabb on Union street, called here by the death of his sister.

Lester W. Thompson left on Monday for Manchester where he will join a party of friends for a week's hunting trip on the Canadian border.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Paterson and Rev. and Mrs. William P. Stanley motored to Durham on Saturday to visit the former's son, Frank Paterson.

Miss Marguerite Ducker who is attending school in Boston passed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Ducker of Moravia's Island.

Roland S. Faulkner who is with the national army at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., passed the week-end with his wife, Charles Faulkner of Myrtle Avenue.

Mr. H. Yeaton, Mrs. Charles Goodwin and niece Barbara, of Manchester, have been the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. W. Twombly of Sparhawk street.

Mrs. H. W. Donnell of Richards Avenue who has been quite ill for the past three months, is slowly improving, which will be pleasing news to her many friends.

Mrs. E. E. Barrett and daughter of Chicago who have been passing the summer at their cottage at Newcastle, closed the same on Monday and returned to their home.

Four local boys that were recently sent to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., were week-end visitors in Portsmouth with relatives and friends. They were: Lawrence Regan, Patrick J. Grady, J. J. Donahue and Roland Faulkner.

Mr. E. S. Daniels of Greenland has accepted a position as general manager of a paper mill at Hallowell, Me., and he leaves today to assume his position. His family will remain at their Greenland residence for the winter.

LONDON PAPERS REJOICE

London, Oct. 29.—News that the American troops have fired their first shot of the war on the western front took the place of honor in the Sunday papers with the first American official statement from Paris. The announcement was received with great enthusiasm by the American congressmen who are here. They said it would carry profound satisfaction to the people of America. Telling of the event the correspondent of the Weekly Dispatch says:

"The allies are extremely fortunate

in having American troops take a place in the line at a comparatively quiet time of the year. During the winter they will have ample opportunity of mastering the intricacies of trench warfare which never can be taught satisfactorily behind the lines. Within four or five months they should become seasoned troops, and the allies confidently look to a great display when they go 'over the top'."

SAVING TO THE GOVERNMENT IS VERY LARGE

(By Associated Press)

London, Oct. 29.—More than 250 of the men filling the higher posts in the British ministry of munitions are serving without pay. A report just issued by the ministry shows that the salaries paid to men "in somewhat equivalent positions" range from \$2,000 to \$15,000 a year, indicating that the saving to the government is very large.

NEWSPAPER PUBLISHER A SUICIDE

(By Associated Press)

Danvers, Mass., Oct. 29.—Frank Elsmere, publisher of the Danvers Mirror, known as Frank D. Moynihan until a year ago, when he changed his name to Elsmere, committed suicide by hanging himself at his office some time during last night. Friends say that he committed the act as the result of worry over business matters.

SHIPBUILDING PLANT NOTES

The men subscribed over \$6000 for Liberty Bonds on Saturday afternoon. Notice of the arrival of two cargoes of ship timber at Salem, Mass., was received today.

The telephone company has installed a branch exchange in the office building which will connect all departments.

The new train schedule will soon be followed by others.

GERMAN FORCES EVACUATE PENINSULA

(By Associated Press)

Petrograd, Oct. 28.—German forces on the Werder peninsula, in the Gulf of Riga, have evacuated that sector according to an official statement issued by the Russian war office today.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mary L. Berry.

Died in Greenland, Saturday, October 27, Mrs. Mary L. Berry, widow of B. Milledge Berry. Mrs. Berry was born in Greenland July 13, 1855, and was the daughter of Francis G. and Martha G. Berry. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Charles Marden of Greenland, Mrs. Charles W. Martin of Belfast, Me., and Miss Bertha H. Berry of Somerville, Mass.; also four sons, Frank A. of Wollaston, Mass., and Austin, John and Russell of Greenland.

Emory D. Oliver.

Emory D. Oliver died at his home in Kittery on Monday morning of acute indigestion, aged 15 years. He was the son of Desper W. Oliver of Saco, N. H., and was employed in the Portsmouth navy yard as a general helper.

OBSEQUIES

Moses Morrill

The funeral of Moses Morrill was held from his home on the River road in Elliot Sunday afternoon, Rev. D. T. Conklin officiating.

The hearse was Frank Baitt, Wilford B. Baitt, George E. Stacey and Roy B. Hill. Interment was in the family lot in Greenwood cemetery under direction of J. Verne Wood.

Ruth Elizabeth Drake

The funeral of Ruth Elizabeth Drake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Drake of North Hampton who died in Cambridge, Mass., Wednesday, October 24, aged 5 years, 2 months, 13 days, was held at the home of her parents Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Arthur S. Merrill officiating. Interment was in the family lot in North Hampton cemetery under direction of J. Verne Wood.

Mrs. Fannie A. Sleeper.

The funeral of Mrs. Fannie A. Sleeper was held from the home of her niece, Mrs. George Kaula, 191 Mendham Avenue, Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. William P. Stanley officiating. The remains were sent to Everett, Mass., this morning for interment in the family lot in Woodlawn cemetery, under direction of J. Verne Wood.

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(By Associated Press)

Ayer, Mass., Camp Devens, Oct. 29.—The men that were recently sent to Ayer who had claims for exemption pending will be given an opportunity to continue as members of the new national army if they so desire. This

new ruling was received in the general orders today. The orders also stated that if the men who were preparing to file claims for exemption on the grounds of dependents had not done so before Nov. 15 that their claim would be void.

SUPERIOR COURT

Superior court, reconvened at two o'clock Monday afternoon with Judge Ayer presiding. The first case scheduled to be taken up was the action of the state against Ernest Wentworth charged with arson.



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LIBERTY LOAN OVERSUBSCRIBED

Responds to Call of Government by Over \$5,000,000,000

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Oct. 28.—The total amount of the second Liberty bond subscription is still a matter of speculation, although it is considered certain that the total maximum issue of the billion has been taken.

The Treasury Department was waiting for figures tonight and could not make any further announcement other than in the New York district. The report was received today that the subscription had exceeded the billion and could reach \$5,000,000,000.

The districts have not the full amount of the bonds and will have to make a day or two of the subscription to get the full amount. It is estimated that the final amount of the subscription will be \$5,000,000,000. The five billion dollar subscription is the largest in the history of the Liberty Loan.

Boston, Oct. 28.—It is three to one that New England has passed its allotment of \$500,000,000, said a member of the Liberty bond committee tonight, but no figures are available of the great work done yesterday. The various banks have not reported as yet, but there is every indication that the total sum and possibly considerable excess will be reported in by Nov. 1.

A wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. M. O'Brien, at 1000 Washington street, at 10 o'clock yesterday. The bride, Miss Mary O'Brien, was given away by her father, Mr. J. M. O'Brien. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. O'Brien. The bride and groom were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. O'Brien.

Recently the happy couple went to the home of the groom where a most beautiful breakfast was served. They left on the 10:47 train for Boston from whence they will go to New York for a few weeks. They were the recipients of a number of useful and costly gifts.

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

WE EAT TOO MUCH MEAT WHICH CLOGS KIDNEYS, THEN THE BACK HURTS

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally. If we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean and the moment you feel an ache or a pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad's from any good drug store here. It is a table-spoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This medicine is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithium and is harmless to the system. It is a natural and effective remedy for all kidney troubles.

Jad's is a harmless, inexpensive medicine which should be taken every day to keep the kidneys active and clean. It is a natural and effective remedy for all kidney troubles. It is a table-spoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine.

PLAN OUTLINED BY PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE

(By Associated Press)
London, Oct. 27.—The government's plan for continuous borrowing by short term bonds was outlined recently by Premier Lloyd George to a gathering of bankers in this city. The plan will be known as national war bonds. At present the bonds are available at banks only for \$50 or upwards.

WOULD BE SHORT SIGHTED

(By Associated Press)
Boston, Oct. 28.—Cardinal O'Connell in an address before the Catholic Federation today opposed the proposed anti-trust amendment to the Massachusetts Constitution on the ground that it was undemocratic and absolutely short sighted and injurious to the state of Massachusetts.

NOW FARES IT IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hon. H. C. Morrison, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, delivered an address before a large congregation at the North church on Sunday evening. His subject was "How Fares It in New Hampshire." It was a subject that Mr. Morrison was thoroughly familiar with, from his long association with the school department of the state and of recent years his most creditable work in child welfare.

AN APPEAL FOR ARMENIANS

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Oct. 28.—President Wilson today issued an appeal for the Armenians and Syrians who as a result of Turkish and German cruelties are starving and in dire need.

REPORT FIFTH ZEPPELIN LOST IN MEDITERRANEAN.

Toulon, Oct. 28.—In addition to the four Zeppelins known to have been lost by the Germans in French territory last Saturday, another has now been reported destroyed by falling in the Mediterranean last Saturday night. Two French naval aviators made this report today. The Zeppelin sank 40 miles south of the Hyeres Islands.

Post Toasties The Wheat-Saving Breakfast Food



SPENDING A BILLION A MONTH

(By Associated Press)
Washington, Oct. 28.—The government exceeded the billion dollar mark in the month of October. This included the sums loaned to the allies. Up to yesterday the nation had spent \$985,412,357. For the twenty-three working days an average of \$42,800,000 per day had been spent and it is said that a two billion month is expected.

POSTAGE RATE INCREASES NOV. 1

The increase in ordinary letter postage from two to three cents, which is to become effective Nov. 2 under the provisions of the war revenue act, will be something quite new in the history of our postal system. It reaches the hearts of more of our people than any other feature of this enactment. This is not saying that it will not be widely and patriotically borne.

A whole generation has elapsed since the first postage stamp was placed on a letter. The mails, outside local delivery, have been the original medium of the Federal Post Office. It is more than a century since the first postage stamp was placed on a letter.

We must go back to the War of 1812 to find the only precedent for the present change in an upward direction. In that year ordinary letter postage was doubled, the increased rate continuing for a period of four years. Then, as now, the increase was purely an emergency measure to help the Government in defraying the expenses of the war.

Our postal service was still in a very primitive state of development in those early days, and rates, even in times of peace, were high. Communication by mail was chiefly confined to the few.

Doubling the then existing rate realized only a few thousand dollars, whereas the present increase of one-third will bring in as many millions. So tremendous has been the growth of the letter writing habit, both for business and social purposes.

When our postal system was first established there were 75 postoffices in the United States. Now there are 55,000. The postal revenue then represented about one cent per capita, now it is about \$3. Post riders carried the mails through wilderness and forest and post routes did not exceed 2000 miles. They now cover 150,000 miles.

As late as 1849 our lowest letter postage was 5 cents for letters not carried further than 30 miles and containing but a single page. If the distance exceeded 30 miles the charge was 10 cents for each sheet, increasing gradually to 25 cents for 400 miles.

In 1845 the rates were reduced to 5 cents for distances not exceeding 5 miles and 10 cents for longer distances.

The ordinary adhesive postage stamp, now in universal use, was until then unknown in this country. It had lately been introduced in England, but the suggestion that it be introduced here was not popular and it was not until the postal officials threatened to make its use compulsory that it was officially adopted by the United States in 1847.

Prior to that time the ordinary envelope had not been devised. The sheet on which a letter was written was folded and sealed before being deposited in the mails and the rate of postage varied with the length of the letter.

The postage was paid by the recipient of the letter. Instead of by the sender—a circumstance which probably accounts for the early unpopularity of the postage stamp. The cost of the postage under the old system was passed on to the other fellow, who could refuse to accept and pay for the letter if he saw fit.

The introduction of the adhesive stamp changed all that, greatly to the benefit of both the Government and the patrons of the Postoffice and the postal receipts increased tremendously.

Meanwhile the popular demand for cheaper postage grew with the increase of postal facilities and the subject was a constantly recurring political issue. In England the name of Rowland Hill, the author of penny postage, was on everybody's tongue and the beneficent infection soon reached this country.

"Communication of intelligence with frequency and dispatch, and at cheap rates from every part of the continent to every other part is essentially requisite to its safety and welfare." So read a resolution of the Continental Congress. It was now repeated and emphasized everywhere as often as political campaigns came around and the agitation of the subject was invariably effective.

In 1861 the rate of ordinary letter postage was reduced from five and 10 cents to three cents for letters carried a distance of not over 3000 miles, which practically meant that rate for all distances throughout the length and breadth of the land. A year later the rates on newspapers and all printed matter were radically lowered. These reductions did not avail to stop popular agitation for still cheaper

or rates, and further changes downward would undoubtedly have been more promptly made but for our Civil War and the financial requirements of the Government. In that critical period.

The exigencies of that conflict did not bring about any advance in the postal rates, however, and later on, in 1885 not only were letter rates reduced from three to two cents, but the weight allowed for ordinary letters was increased from one-half to a full ounce.

Then came the one-cent postal card and rural free delivery and, finally, the parcel post, all augmenting the business of the postoffice to an extent that could scarcely have been dreamed of by those who were chiefly instrumental in its original establishment.

It is undoubtedly safe to say that the revived three-cent letter postage rate is destined to be quite as short-lived as any of the features of the War Revenue Act, and when the World War is over and the two-cent postage stamp resumes its accustomed functions the shift will be welcomed.

PUTTING UP THE FLAG.

(By Charles J. Rosebault of The Vigilante)

We ran our car out of the noise and smell of the Saturday afternoon mob of motorists along the Boston Post road, and ascended through a side lane into the quiet country. A few miles and we came upon a little back-water of village life—a typical Connecticut assemblage of quaint old homes scattered along a broad elm-shaded road and terminating with the village store and a little triangular shaped green.

Around this were gathered a number of motor-cars, most of them filled with the occupants of which had dismounted and were standing on the green in small groups, facing a lot of children, varying in ages from eight to fourteen. We stopped our car and got out too.

It was clear enough what was on the tapis. A tall pole glistening in its coat of new white paint, with ropes descending from the top and connecting with something hidden under a robe at the bottom, indicated plainly enough that we were about to witness a flag raising.

At the right of the pole were placed three chairs for the speakers of the occasion. Opposite were the children who were clearly to provide the music, and their leader, a tall, gaunt Yankee, was convulsively working his vocal chords in silent preparation. In ordinary times it was just a scene for an indulgent smile and a moment's pause to see things started—no more. But there was something in the earnest rapid expressions of the people gathered there which made us—holiday seekers out for a faint—realize the spirit in which this ceremony was being undertaken. Involuntarily we men took off our hats and the ladies stopped their chatter with equal promptness.

An earnest young woman, with thin delicate New England features and a slight form clad in light silk, stepped forward.

She spoke haltingly, searching now and then for the right word to finish a phrase, but none of us was disturbed by that. She was so earnest, so sincere and so evidently inspired by reverence for her task. In the one hundred and twenty years that this community had existed, she said, it had never owned a flag. Individuals and individual families had hung the National colors from the windows of their homes, but the community itself had been flagless. Now that our country was in the war—a war for right, for justice and for the freedom of the world—they had all felt that there should be an emblem to represent the communal faith in the cause of the country, and its support of the great enterprise in which the country was giving its energies.

Some of their young men had already gone forth to offer their lives for this cause. More would soon be going. It was fitting that these should know that the families and friends at home were thinking of the same cause which had brought them into the ranks.

She related simply how difficult it had been, with all their willingness, to get the flag. It was only a small community and flags cost money, but the job had been accomplished. One generous soul had provided the flag, a number had united to purchase the pole, and at the last moment when it seemed almost impossible to get the latter shipped down from the city, two intrepid men had volunteered to bring it by motor. It had required much skill and courage, considering that the pole was some fifty feet long and extremely heavy, and that there were many bad roads to navigate, not to speak of the crowded streets of the city. But now here it was, firmly rooted in the soil of their village, and from it would float the beloved Stars and Stripes, to keep awake in their hearts the great cause it represented.

The choir-master struck the right note and the fresh voices following him carried along triumphantly the strains of the Star Spangled Banner. They had been schooled for the occasion and managed very well. Then a strong pair of arms hoisted the flag into place and it broke upon the breeze in all its glory.

We climbed back into the motor, not a little stirred. It was only a tiny village and it had been a very simple affair. But somehow we felt that it represented thousands of flag raisings over all this broad land, each stimulating a community and adding this stimulus to ever-widening circles. The spirit represented here was what the country would have to rely upon for

NATION BOWS HEAD IN PRAYER

(By Associated Press)

Washington, Oct. 28.—In church and in home the nation, headed by the President, today bowed in a solemn mass in prayer for the success of the nation. It was the first day of prayer appointed and at the naval station it was made a memorial service for the men lost on the transport Antilles. President and Mrs. Wilson attended church this morning.

meet the propaganda of pacifists, pro-Germans and slackers. It was a note of encouragement amid nauseating unpatriotic propaganda of Hearst, La Follette, the Soap Box orators, and the other unhealthy exercises on our National life.

CHANGE OF TRAIN SERVICE

The Boston and Maine Railroad announced Sunday the change of train service on the Dover branch to meet the requirements of the Emergency Shipping Plant. The train to Dover which for years has left here at 5:35 p. m. after the arrival of the 6:20 from Boston, will leave, beginning this afternoon, at 5 o'clock.

This will give a better service to the men at the shipping plant, as the train reaches here shortly before five o'clock and then goes right back allowing the Dover workmen a chance to get home at 5:30.

AUTO WRECKED ON DOVER ROAD

An automobile owned and driven by A. P. Theberge of Salmor Falls, was wrecked when it skidded on the Newington road Sunday noon and crashed into a telegraph pole.

The automobile was on the way to this city when in making the turn this side of the bridge, the driver turned out to escape a pole that had been blown down in the storm, and in doing so the car skidded, and crashed into a pole. One of the occupants was cut about the face and Dr. H. L. Taylor dressed his wounds. The machine was badly damaged.

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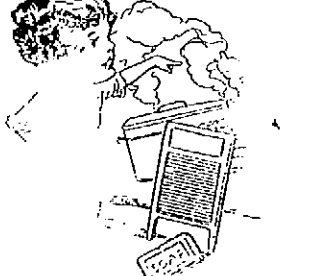
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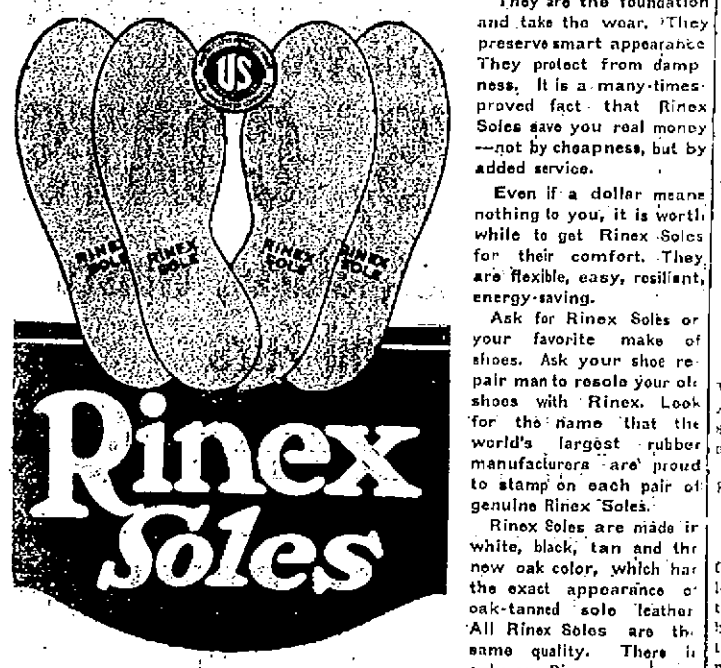
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REFRESHING SERVICE AT THE HOME

The Rev. Alfred Gooding, with the choir and organists of the Unitarian church, kindly visited the Westworth home yesterday afternoon, and gave a beautiful and refreshing service of an hour, consisting of several anthems of the highest order, finely rendered by the choir, alternating with noble readings from Scripture and from Whittier,

and a prayer, by Mr. Gooding. The members of the choir are Mrs. Gray, soprano; Mrs. Priest, contralto; Mr. Cook, tenor; Mr. C. W. Grey, bass; Mr. Leon Robinson, organist.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary L. Berry will be held from her home in Greenland, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

BACK FROM RIFLE RANGE

A company of artillerymen, stationed at Fort Constitution, arrived back on Monday from the state rifle range at Massabesic.

MAKE PLANS FOR HOUSE WARMING

F. C. B. Club Appoints Committees That Will Arrange Formal Opening.

The members of the F. C. B. club have appointed the committees that will be in charge of the house-warming which will take place in the new club rooms in Mechanics block, Nov. 14.

The membership has outgrown the present rooms in the Glebe building. In view of this fact and also that a drive for new members will soon take place the members voted to have larger rooms.

The new rooms will be occupied some time this week, but will not be formally opened until the night of the house-warming, Nov. 14.

The committees in charge of the formal opening program are:

General committee—President Thomas Massey; Vice President Walter Eastman; Treasurer William E. Mercer; Secretary Harry H. Woods, chairman of the board of directors, Robert E. Eaton, John Carl, Max Gelman, Richard Weston and Fred E. Harmon.

Reception committee—Includes the following officers of the Club—President Thomas Massey, Vice President Walter Eastman, Treasurer William E. Mercer and chairman of the board of directors, Robert E. Eaton.

Committee on entertainment—George Dion, W. M. Weston and Harry J. Woods.

Committee on refreshments—Thomas Massey, Walter Eastman and Robert E. Eaton.

Committee on invitations—Richard Weston, F. E. Harmon and Fred E. Helder.

Committee on decorations—Frank Day, W. E. Mercer and William Wallace.

THE HERALD HEARS

That the people are just about tired of gazing at the condition of Daniel street and listening to the excuses for delay.

That the situation has greatly interfered with trucking and delivery service to the residents.

That the people have been inconvenienced long enough.

That two auto drivers over the road from Dover at midnight had a funny experience with a fox at Dover Point. That the machine ahead ran over what the driver thought was a big cat.

That the second machine came right behind and also struck and ran over the animal.

That when the driver reached the toll gate one asked the other about the cat.

That the man in the second machine decided it was no feline and they decided to go back and investigate.

That they got a surprise when they discovered it was a fox.

That the animal was still alive and regardless of being run over by both machines, was trying to get through a fence.

That they ended his agony by putting him to death.

That the fur of the animal is very high in price just now and will bring the auto men a good bit of money.

That you can now put your hay fever away in moth balls for the winter.

That the Boston and Maine railroad has started something in changing the train leaving here for Dover at 5:35 p. m. to 5 p. m.

That while the change will accommodate the navy yard men, and the employees at the shipbuilding plant, the public in general who make Portland connections on the train at Dover, are wondering where they come in.

That a woman to make up her mind rather she would be clever than pretty, has to be mighty clever.

That among the variety of fools we have the born fool and the cheerful looser.

That you may as well begin to save up for the war income tax on all over \$1000 which you catch as a salary.

That a Portsmouth woman is now busy studying the map of Massachusetts.

That her recent experience has caused her to consult railway guides in her spare moments.

That she recently started on a trip to Newton, Mass.

That in some way or other she landed in Marblehead.

That she had luck enough to meet a Portsmouth man there who smiled at himself and steered her right back to Boston.

That Halloween parties are numerous.

That the price of gas at Newburyport will be \$1.40 per thousand only during the war.

That the company in that city wanted to raise it to \$1.50.

That it was selling at \$1.25 and the state board of commissioners fixed it at \$1.40.

That a bad feature in dying rich is the fight which follows among the heirs for what you leave.

That the fact that some mothers think they are raising a future president of the country is hard on the kids.

That it's a sure bet that not all the

men killing time in playing solitaire are of the married class.

That war pie has arrived and so has the price—take it or leave it.

LOCAL DASHES

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

Tuesday night, Sheehan's dance at Moose hall.

The change in weather conditions on Sunday caused many housekeepers to start their furnace fires anew.

Lobsters and fresh fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons, Tel. 24.

Koleher trucks, O. B. Woods, Bow street.

Upholsterers of antique and modern furniture. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros., Tel. 570.

Alfred F. Howard, secretary of the Granite State Insurance Company has purchased a new automobile of the Sedan pattern.

Halloween whist and dancing party, Knights of Columbus Home, Islington street, Tuesday evening, Oct. 30. Admission 25 cents.

Sheehan's dancing school, Monday night at Pythian hall. Uniformed men welcome.

Members of the national army who passed the week-end in this city report all of the local boys at Camp Devens as being well and in good spirits.

Captain Burke of the night police received word Saturday night from Portland, Me., to be on the lookout for a five-passenger automobile that had been stolen from that city.

The police blotter on Sunday morning contained the names of six for drunkenness, three lodgers and three for malicious mischief, the last three being sailors who are alleged to have taken the gum machine from R. M. Tilton's store doorway.

APPOINTED FOREMAN

Takes Charge of the Firm's Cutting Department.

Fred Harriman of this city, for the past year employed as assistant foreman for the Bancroft-Walker Shoe Co., of Haverhill, Mass., has been appointed foreman of the cutting department of that firm and assumed charge of the same today. He was an apprentice in the old Portsmouth Shoe company.

WORKING OUTSIDE THEIR HOME CITY

Many Dover People Find Employment Here and at Newington.

About 350 men living in Dover are finding daily employment in this city and the shipbuilding plants. One hundred and sixty are working on the navy yard and the rest at Newington. They all are transferred by the early morning train from that city. With the other passengers who patronize this train, makes it one of the busiest of any on the several branches of the system.

NOTICE.

Being certified in the National Army, but desirous of continuing by business, I have endeavored to secure competent assistants, but owing to war conditions, find it impossible, therefore have decided hereafter to sell at a closer margin than is possible elsewhere. In order to do this have discontinued deliveries and credits. You will be the loser if you don't at least compare prices.

BROWN'S MARKET.

MARTIN-GOULD.

At the parsonage of the Court Street Christian church on Thursday evening, Oct. 25, occurred the marriage of Mrs. Alice M. Gould and Fred L. Martin, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Percy W. Caswell.

NOTICE.

Union Rebekah Lodge, No. 3, I. O. O. F., will observe the annual children's night with a Halloween party Tuesday evening, Oct. 30. Refreshments will be served to the children. Members are kindly asked to furnish cake.

Per order,
S. AVIS VARRELL, N. G.
LIZZIE H. ANDERSON, Sec.

STILL ALARM.

The auto chemical crew were called out at 2:45 o'clock on Sunday morning to extinguish a blaze caused by the lighting of some tar being used by Warren Brothers on Islington street, near the Gale shoe shop. The blaze was soon extinguished.

WILL MEET IN MANCHESTER

The New Hampshire Association of Assessors will hold their annual meeting at City Hall, Manchester, on Dec. 19 and 20.

NOTICE

Special meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary A. O. U. F., this evening at 8 o'clock, U. V. U. hall. Business of importance. All are requested to attend.

Per order,
President.

A MOST IMPRESSIVE SERVICE

The most successful mission ever conducted in this city, closed on Sunday evening at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, with a most impressive service.

The first week was devoted to the women of the parish and the second week to the men and in both cases it was exceptionally successful.

During the past week the men of the parish have attended the services in great numbers, on an average of a thousand men would be present at the 5.15 mass every morning and more than that number at the evening services. The Mission Fathers, Fr. Sullivan and Fr. Healy of the Oblate Order are both very brilliant speakers and their instructions were exceptionally interesting.

Sunday morning nearly fifteen hundred men received Holy Communion and all of the four masses were crowded, at the 10.30 mass a large detachment of sailors from the navy yard were present and occupied seats together.

The closing services Sunday night were the most impressive of the week and every available space of the church was occupied. Both priests assisted in the ceremony and especially instructive was the interpretation of the ten commandments, and their application to the modern life. The renewal of the baptismal vows when this was reached each man stood holding a candle and when all were lighted the other lights in the church were put out and in this sea of lights the men in a chorus renewed their vows. The service ended with benediction.

NOTICE

Mrs. Eliza Braddon will open her school for dancing at Pythian hall, High school class, Friday evening, Nov. 2, 7.30 to 9.30. Children's class Saturday, Nov. 3 at 2 o'clock. Private lessons by appointment. Tel. 748J.

WILL LIVE IN THE WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Demars of Dover formerly of this city will leave on Wednesday for California and will make their future home in Los Angeles.

AUCTION -- OF -- HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

At 118 Market Street

The Goodrich Block (Upstairs) near Sweetser's Store.

On Tuesday, Oct. 30, 1917, and Wednesday, Oct. 31, 1917

From 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

The contents from the Dr. McKim house at Odiorne's Point, consisting principally of chairs, bedroom furniture, desks, audiotrons, one spinning wheel, book cases, toilet sets, crockery, glass ware, bric-a-brac, some excellent framed pictures, etc., etc.

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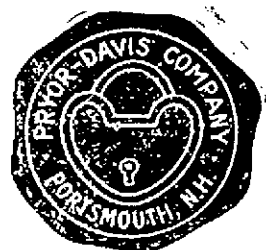
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Of course, we live in the living room and we eat in the dining room, but we don't merely sleep in the sleeping rooms. Along about nine P. M., if nobody comes in and nobody is going out, right to the bedroom and into a restful chair—that's exactly where we all go.

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